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## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A power control method for a mobile terminal is disclosed. At a power-off request of a mobile station user, the mobile station attempts to send a power-down registration request to a base station for as many times as set in a maximum attempt sequence. Upon failure to receive a response from the base station even after the attempts to send the power-down registration request for as many times as set in the maximum attempt sequence, the mobile station reattempts the power-down registration request operation for as many times as set in a predetermined retry number. Upon receipt of a response from the base station during the reattempts, the mobile station performs power-off of the mobile station. Further, the mobile station performs a call processing process upon receipt of an incoming call during the reattempts.